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PROGRESS REPORT OF THE GEOGRAPHIC AREA, CRR

MONTH OF SEPTEMBER 1958

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF, GEOGRAPHIC RESEARCH

A. Accomplishments and Coordination Activities

1. Production in the Geographic Research Area generally held steady during September. A variety of priority projects in support of intelligence collection were completed and disseminated. Other work of importance involved geographic support of the Department of State and the completion of research on a number of studies prepared in support of operational planning.

2. The Cartography Division completed 133 maps and charts -- 123 for the Agency and 10 for the Department of State. Requests were accepted for 121 maps and charts -- 118 for the Agency and 3 for the Department of State.

3. The Geography Division completed two Geographic Intelligence Reports (GR-183, Civil Divisions of the World: Part III, Europe; and GR-184, Civil Divisions of the World: Part IV, Oceania); one NIS Section 19 of Chapter I on Greece; one contribution to the NIS Chapter I Annual on Communist China; and four geographic memoranda in the G/I series.

4. The Map Library Division received 5,577 foreign-published maps during September. Of these, 34% were retained in CIA; 34% sent to AMS, and 23% to the Library of Congress. Requests for maps and related materials continued to show a steady increase. During September, 28,206 map sheets were sent out in response to 1,377 requests; in addition, 227 geographic and cartographic items were distributed in response to 110 requests. Interest in material on the Far East--especially on Quemoy, Matsu, and surrounding areas--remained high.

5. Chief, Geography Division, met with the unconventional-warfare team of the Joint Chiefs of Staff to determine how well and universally our recommendations for unconventional-warfare areas are being accepted. It was found that the recommendations are apparently well accepted.

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7. At the Acting AD's request, an assessment of an intelligence collection proposal relating to Svalbard was prepared for General Cabell.

8. A special memo outlining the geographic criteria that would be involved in any earth satellite launching by Communist China was prepared for the DD/I.

9. Extended discussions were held by Chief, Special Research Branch, with personnel of the Trade Controls Branch on developments concerning recent Soviet efforts to obtain covertly U.S. gravity instruments. Action is now being taken by the Department of Commerce to reinstate gravimeters on the U.S. controls list.

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10. An extended review was made during the month of the graphics material that is used in [REDACTED]. As a result of this review, which included meetings with many other participants, a revised form of graphics has been designed by D/GC for the guidance [REDACTED] 25X1X4

11. In recognition of the increased responsibilities of the Map Library Division in the guidance of mapping intelligence collection, a policy memorandum which outlines the responsibilities of the various GRA divisions in the fields of mapping intelligence and geographic intelligence was issued by the Chief, Geographic Research Area.

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12. [REDACTED] Chief, D/GL, departed for Europe to undertake a series of priority map procurement coordinations.

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13. [REDACTED] of Europe Branch returned from a TDY in Europe, during which he made useful contacts at field stations and briefed field personnel on the responsibilities and needs of the Geography Division.

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[REDACTED] of the Near East-Africa Branch returned from a similar TDY in southern and eastern Africa; he reports that no problems of consequence were encountered in the course of his trip, and that discussions of area problems with personnel in the field proved highly effective.

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14. [REDACTED], Europe Branch, D/GG, resigned during the month.



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MONTHLY REPORT FOR THE CARTOGRAPHY DIVISION

Month of September 1958

A. Summary of Cartographic Production and Accomplishments

1. During the month of August the Cartography Division accepted requests for 121 maps and charts, 118 for CIA and 3 for the Department of State. Of the Agency requests 38 were by ORR, 29 by OSI, 15 as CIA contributions to NIS, 8 by ONE, 22 by OCI, 4 by DD/P, 3 by DD/S and 2 for PIC.
2. During the month the Division completed 133 maps and charts, 123 for the Agency and 10 for the Department of State.
3. The NIS Map Coordinator received 75 job requests during the month, 25 NIS maps for final printing, 21 NIS maps for color proofing and 29 maps from D/GL for re-running. A total of 90 jobs were sent to reproduction, 40 final maps, 21 color proofs and 29 reruns. Receipts from reproduction totaled 76 jobs, 36 final maps, 22 color proofs and 18 reruns, leaving a backlog in the unit of 61 map requests, 13 final NIS maps and 48 for rerun.
4. The total number of maps and charts in the Division at the end of September was 407, distributed among the Branches as follows:

USSR and Satellites	74
Far East and Western Hemisphere	89
Europe-Africa	40
Special Support	42
Development & Construction	162
(Exclusive of Drafting Sec.)	
Total	<u>407</u>

B. Administrative Problems and Other Activities

1. The Division Chief, as Monitor of [REDACTED] contract, spent September 29 and 30 [REDACTED] reviewing the progress of the work. At the halfway mark the total project is currently on schedule.

- 25X1A5a1 2. The Chief of the Cartographic Lab, [REDACTED] spent three days at [REDACTED] demonstrating and resolving technical problems arising in the construction of the separation plates being prepared by [REDACTED] 25X1A9a  
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3. The preparations for the forthcoming trip to the Far East by Ch/GC/F were well advanced during the month. It is anticipated that [REDACTED] will be leaving approximately 15 October.

4. Favorable progress was made in the City Plan project for DD/P. Final prototype maps are in reproduction for final printing and clearance, one other is in drafting and three others are in compilation preparation. Working space equipment problems, and PIC's contribution to the project have been resolved and the program appears to be in good shape. 25X1X4-R

5. [REDACTED] was given marked attention during the month. Several meetings with St/I, AD/RR, and Service personnel were held. Prototype strip maps were prepared by GC/S.

6. During the month, the Ch/D/GC spent considerable time reviewing compilation policies with the components of the Division. All compilation personnel were briefed as to their responsibilities in achieving the objectives assigned to the Division.

7. Further concentrated effort in line with Area policy was made to reduce overtime work.

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## A. SUMMARY FOR SEPTEMBER 1958

Agency	Entered	% of Total Entered	No. Completed	% of Total Completed
CIA				
DD/I/ORR	38	31%	59	45%
OSI	29	24%	22	17%
NIS	15	12%	15	11%
ONE	8	6%	3	2%
OCI	22	18%	12	9%
PIC	1	1%	2	1%
DD/S	3	2%	7	5%
DD/P	4	3%	3	2%
TOTAL CIA:	118	97	123	92%
State	1	1%	4	3%
State/NIS	2	2%	6	5%

## B. 6 MONTHS SUMMARY

Months	New Maps and Charts Ent'd.	New Maps and Charts Completed	Number of Prints	Reruns Completed	No. of Rerun Prints
September	121	90	75,916	37	40,489
August	116	138	91,250	49	33,698
July	84	121	56,505	35	28,952
June	145	134	56,545	21	20,360
May	151	131	55,881	17	12,929
April	102	86	125,643	8	7,712
TOTALS:	704	700	461,740	167	144,140

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## C. SERVICE AND REPRODUCTION PROCESSING DURING PAST 6 MONTHS

Months	Number of Completed X-Jobs	Manhours Required X-Jobs	*Number of Processing Jobs	Number of Items
September	5	25	110	32,406
August	8	22	118	35,534
July	7	41	132	35,887
June	6	66	121	61,772
May	13	166	106	47,661
April	10	70	107	42,161
TOTALS:	49	390	694	255,421

\*Except for final maps and reruns.

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## D. MAPS AND GRAPHS COMPLETED IN PAST 6 MONTHS

Agency	April	May	June	July	August	September
CIA	61	118	107	107	101	108
CIA/NIS	17	11	20	9	26	15
State	2	1	6	3	4	4
State/NIS	6	1	1	2	7	6
Other	0	0	0	0	0	0
TOTALS:	86	131	134	121	138	133

## E. SUMMARY OF WORK LOAD, MAPS AND CHARTS, AS OF 1 OCTOBER 1958 - Does Not Include Service Jobs

STATUS	GC/S	GC/F	GC/E	GC/C #	GC/X	TOTALS
In Reproduction	1	11	4	11	13	40
In Proof	39	6	7	30	1	83
In Check	12	5	2	27	1	47
In Drafting	2	10	4	94	19	129
In Compilation	20	57	23	0	8	108
TOTALS:	74	89	40	162	42	407

\* Excludes jobs assigned to drafting section from Compilation Branches.

PROGRESS REPORT FOR THE GEOGRAPHY DIVISION

September 1958

I. ACCOMPLISHMENTS

A. Completed Work

The completed work of the Geography Division for September included 2 geographic intelligence reports in the CIA/RR-GR series, 1 NIS Section 19 of Chapter I, 1 contribution to the Chapter I, Annual, and 4 G/I memoranda as follows:

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CIA/RR-GR-183	Civil Divisions of the World: Part III, Europe	Department of State
CIA/RR-GR-184	Civil Divisions of the World: Part IV, Oceania	Department of State
NIS 24 Greece	Section 19, Chapter I	NIS Program
NIS 39A Communist China	Contribution to Chapter I ANNUAL	NIS Program
G/I-261	Comments on Svalbard	DDCI
G/I-262	Possible Location for Satellite Launching Site in Communist China	DD/I
G/I-263	Criteria to Distinguish Soviet "Training" Maps from the Regular Topographic Series Maps at Scales 1:10,000 through 25X1A281,000	D/GL/RR (Requirements)
G/I-264	[REDACTED] Guidance on Soviet Gravity Instrument Intelligence Collection	D/GL/RR (DD/P Requirements)

B. Progress of Work in the Branches and Staffs

Europe Branch: At the request of General Cabell, a memorandum (G/I-261) was prepared evaluating the feasibility of an intelligence [REDACTED] The report on railroads of Poland (probably G-23) was edited, and copies were circulated to interested Agency components for comment. Drafts of memoranda presenting urban and rural population data for five satellite countries (breakdown by first-order division) were completed and shown, in preliminary form, to OSI/ED/TCB, the requester. Parts III and IV of the Civil Divisions of the World, for Europe and

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Oceania, were issued, and the final report, Part V, was sent to Reproduction during September. An MR article on "Hungarian Cartography - 1958" was completed and forwarded to Editing. Progress was made on the unconventional warfare and urban area studies; in addition, revised requirements for the IPC were prepared, and several briefings and debriefings were conducted.

25X1A9a Near East/Africa Branch: At the end of September the Branch was once again in full strength and in position to continue production at a high rate. During September a trial special unconventional-warfare study for the U.S. Army Special Forces School was initiated; work continued on one of the last two regular current unconventional-warfare studies; and several activities were completed for other units of the Agency and for the Office of the Geographer, Department of State. The Branch contributions to the NIS Chapter I Annual on Turkey was completed. When briefing [REDACTED] 25X1A9a recently assigned [REDACTED] it 25X1A6a became apparent that neither [REDACTED] nor other members of S/TF concerned with Soviet penetration of the Middle East and Africa were aware of CG/N's long standing interest in the areas of mutual concern.

Far East/Pacific Branch: Progress on scheduled production was quite good, and a number of reports are nearing the publication stage. A memorandum (G/X-262) was prepared, and subsequently revised, for the AD/RR for dispatch to the ID/I concerning the probable location of a rumored earth satellite launching to be attempted from Chinese Communist territory early in October. The Branch's present NIS commitments are well in hand, and scheduled deadlines appear to be feasible. One unconventional-warfare study is in Editing. Draft copies of Possible Guided Missile Ranges in Communist China (GR-198) were circulated to I/CM, St/C, CSS, A/F, and OSI/AM, and the study is ready for post-editorial review. The post-editorial review of Regional Analysis of Northeast Thailand neared completion. Draft of a proposed geographic intelligence memorandum on Chinese Offshore Islands in ready for review and editing. (The lengthy text of this proposed IM will require a modification of the format if the article is to be published in something like its present form.) Checking is all that remains of the Branch's portion of the work on the Interim Atlas of Chinese Communist Administration.

USSR Branch: With most vacation leave completed, work in the Branch has begun to assume a more normal pace. One unconventional-warfare study (GR-194) was finished although dissemination could not be made during the month. Agro-Climatic Aspects of Corn Cultivation (GR-197) is in the final stages of typing for reproduction. Sixteen evaluations were submitted during September. Major research effort was concentrated on five urban areas in support of the City Plans Program, updating of the study on The Soviet Arctic, and on International Highways of Soviet Central Asia.

Special Research Staff: Activity during the month, in the main, was divided among attraction, gravimetry, and mapping intelligence. A memorandum was prepared in each of the three fields. A number of briefings were held and attended.

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██████████ devoted the month to the Antarctic study (69.1655) and to reviewing the very complicated situation regarding the Ecuador-Peru boundary, about which the State Department raised a question in connection with its review of CIA/RR-G-20.

Coordination Staff: Two NIS studies were transmitted to OBI during September: NIS 24, Greece, Section 19 of Chapter I, and the contribution to the Chapter I Annual for Communist China. The Section 19 of Chapter I for NIS 41B, South Korea, which failed to meet its September deadline, will be transmitted in October. No difficulty is anticipated in meeting other scheduled due dates for October.

Editing and Review Staff: The work of the month has proceeded normally during September, with few problems other than those of a routine nature. Work of Part V, Civil Divisions of the World: Western Hemisphere (GR-185) was finalized, and the report is now in Reproduction; this concludes the series. Postwar Developments of Railroad Network in Poland will be sent to Reproduction as soon as coordination and Ch/G review are accomplished. Three additional reports are in post-editorial review; one is completed and awaiting dissemination; and another is in final typing. One article for MR-56 and one GR report were received as the month ended and are in active editing. Twice during the month the Editor in Chief was requested to comment on suggestions for revision of procedures for documenting research.

### C. Project Planning

In anticipation of the impact on Overseas Chinese communities throughout Southeast Asia of possible developments in the Taiwan Strait situation, planning has been initiated by the Far East Branch for a possible article on the position and importance of the Overseas Chinese in Southeast Asia.

At the suggestion of SA/Ch/G, the Far East Branch held discussions with M/Ag personnel concerning a possible project on Chinese agriculture. They were concerned with the increasing difficulties in evaluating aggregate figures on Chicom agricultural production. M/Ag is interested in a research project that would combine climatic analogues and agropodoclimatic analysis bearing on possible crop yields in Communist China and indicated their intention of submitting a formal request through channels.

A memorandum from the Chief, Intelligence Production Staff, OSI, states that our report on The Soviet Arctic, CIA/RR-G-15, has been particularly useful to analysts in their Geophysics Branch and to personnel in the Guided Missile Division and suggests that "the current usefulness could be improved by an updating wherein the abundance of information on the Soviet Arctic that has become available since 1956 due to IGY activities is included." A new project initiation (PN 64.1629) was submitted and approved last February.

## II. RELATIONSHIPS WITHIN THE GEOGRAPHIC AREA

The Division Chief met with the unconventional-warfare team of the Joint Chiefs of Staff in an attempt to determine how well and universally our recommendations for unconventional-warfare areas are being accepted (apparently they are well accepted).

The Division Chief lectured on Geographic Intelligence for the Intelligence Orientation #24, Introduction to Intelligence, on Wednesday 10 September.

A reply was prepared in the Division in answer to the call for information for the Report to the President's Board of Consultants on Foreign Economic and Geographic Intelligence Activities (Full Committee report).

Twice during the month the Division was in receipt of inquiries from overseas regarding the evasion and escape geographies produced by this Division, and one included a request for 500 copies of all that ~~25X4X7~~ been "done for forwarding to appropriate field stations and commands" [REDACTED]

25X1X7 Briefings, debriefings, and meetings of interest attended during the month included: Analysts working on China have begun attending the regular China weather briefings given by the Air Weather Service for M/Ag personnel. [REDACTED] was advised concerning our informal conclusions regarding possible launching of a "Chinese" earth satellite and possible future developments in guided missile ranges in China. Also, the USSR Branch discussed Arctic Research and general intelligence research items with [REDACTED]. At the request of Ch/G, suggestions were prepared by the Near East/Africa Branch for a briefing aid to be used by AD/RR in presenting the D/CG contribution to the unconventional-warfare program for members of JOT. 25X1X7

25X1A9a [REDACTED] attended the Air Force Missile Testing Center Conference on 11 September. Extended discussions were held by [REDACTED] with 25X1A9a personnel of the Trade Controls Branch on developments concerning recent Soviet efforts to obtain covertly U.S. gravity instruments. As a result, action is being taken by the Department of Commerce to reinsert gravimeters on the U.S. controls list. Major Warren Hare, AFCEIN, was briefed on Soviet mapping organizations, map production, and map storage points for inclusion in USAF collection requirements. Colonel Glasser the new Chief, Dr. Miley, and Major Best, AFCEIN 4R4, were briefed by [REDACTED] 25X1A9a on his Branch's responsibilities and objectives in general and relationships to ATIC functions in particular. Colonel Glasser spelled out that ATIC is concerned with that intelligence aspect that will assist USAF in weapons system development. This represents a change in aspect from previous concepts.

## III. ADMINISTRATION

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served a two-week tour of duty in the Branch, assisting in research on NIS 13B<sup>M</sup>. His work was monitored by [REDACTED] 25X1A9a

A move involving two offices was made during September: Editing and Review Staff is now in Room 208, and Europe Branch occupies Rooms 207 and 209.

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[REDACTED] received an award for high competence in Chinese reading.

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[REDACTED] returned from TDY in Europe and is now preparing a trip report. He made many useful contacts at field stations and briefed field personnel on the responsibilities and needs of the Geography Division. [REDACTED] returned from southern and eastern Africa. He reports that no problems of consequence were encountered in the course of his extensive travels, and that discussions of area problems with personnel in the field proved highly effective.

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[REDACTED] began the first of what is likely to develop into a series of courses in advanced geodesy at Georgetown University. [REDACTED]

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#### IV. PROBLEMS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The Geography Division feels that the interests of the Geographic Area could be served to better advantage by a modification of the new order regarding Preparation of Mapping Intelligence Requirements, dated 22 September. It now appears that the same objectives could be more readily attained by allowing each division to issue its own mapping intelligence requirements and requiring mutual coordination by the issuing division with the other two divisions prior to issuance. It is impolitic to subject personnel of one division in an area of mutual interest to the "pocket veto" prerogatives of another. Moreover, it seems to countermand the stated functions of St/I in the coordination of requirements for all divisions of ORR.

In response to a Department of State inquiry to the AD/RR regarding the statements on the Ecuador-Peru boundary in our report on International Boundaries in Latin America, the entire boundary dispute was reviewed by [REDACTED] On the basis of the findings, a defense was made in person to the Peru and Ecuador Desk Officers of State, and an interesting and not immediately reconcilable discrepancy in points of view was discovered. The problem centers on whether CIAF aerial photography taken between 1943 and 1946, with resultant map, is reliable. Agency files indicate that the mission was successfully completed with photography adequate to determine major land forms, while State has been acting on the assumption the photography was not adequate for that purpose. They are investigating the foundation for such an assumption, after which a meeting will be held to discuss the situation further.

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## V. SCHEDULED WORK

Project Control	Title	Requester	Status	Est. Date of Publication
<u>Geographic Intelligence Review, CIA/RR-MR</u>				
60.1657	Geographic Intelligence Review, MR-56	Routine	***	Open
<u>Geographic Intelligence Reports (for standard distribution) - CIA/RR-G</u>				
61.1211	Geog. of Ningsia, Suiyuan, Chazhar, Shensi	RQM/OIS	Delayed	Open
61.1212	Geog. of Sinkiang	RQM/OIS	In abeyance	Open
61.1273	Geog. of Tibet	RQM/OIS	Delayed	Open
64.1629	The Soviet Arctic (G-15 revised)	Self-init.	*	Open
63.1654	Railroads of Poland	Self-init.	***	Nov 58
69.1655	Activities of Non-Soviets in Antarctica during IGY	Self-init.	**	Oct 58
<u>Geographic Intelligence Reports (for limited and special distribution) - CIA/RR-CR</u>				
69.1189	Intel. Col. Manual (geodesy, photography, etc.)	Self-init.	Delayed	Open
69.1279	Satellite Geod. Activ. since Sofia Conf.	Self-init.	Delayed	Open
63.1322	Evasion Geography of Czechoslovakia	AFCIN	*	Open
69.1323	Critique of "Basic Problems of Geodetic Gravimetry" by Molodenskiy	Self-init.	****	Open
63.1341	Urban Area Study: Sofia, Bulgaria	RQM/OIS	Delayed	Open
63.1342	Urban Area Study: Burgas, Bulgaria	RQM/OIS	**	IV 58
61.1345	Evasion Geography of Thailand	AFCIN	***	To be cancelled
61.1357	North Korea Target Study: Ch'ongjin	RQM/OIS	***	IV 58
61.1380	Regional Analysis, NE Thailand	Self-init.	****	IV 58
62.1391	Evasion Geography of Afghanistan	AFCIN	In abeyance	Open
62.1409	Evasion Geography of Iran	AFCIN	In abeyance	Open
61.1414	Evasion Geography of W. Pakistan/Kashmir	AFCIN	In abeyance	Open
64.1419	USSR RR Map	S/RR/RR	***	Open

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 \* Research 1/3 complete.  
 \*\* Research 2/3 complete.  
 \*\*\* Research in final stage.  
 \*\*\*\* Preparation for reproduction in process.

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<b>Geographic Intelligence Reports - CIA/RR-GR (continued)</b>				
65.1433	Evasion Geography of Switzerland	AFCIN	In abeyance	Open
64.1437	Atlas II, GR-155, Sov. Terr. Adm. Div.	Self-init.	****	Open
Amended				
62.1444	Evasion Geography of Iraq	AFCIN	***	Open
61.1448-1459	North Korean Target Studies (12 studies)	ROM/OIS	Delayed	Open
61.1462	Evasion Geography of Burma	AFCIN		To be cancelled
63.1524	Evasion Geography of Yugoslavia	AFCIN	In abeyance	Open
64.1529	Analysis of Corn Cultivation in USSR	M/Ag/RR	****	Nov 58
GR-197	25X1A2d1			
64.1543	UW: Central European USSR	DD/P, etc.	**	Nov 58
64.1544	UW: Western USSR	DD/P, etc.	I	Dec 58
64.1545	UW: No. European USSR	DD/P, etc.	I	Open
64.1546	EW: E. European USSR	DD/P, etc.	I	Open
64.1547	UW: Lower Volga-Don	DD/P, etc.	I	Open
64.1549	UW: Cen. Asia Region	DD/P, etc.	*	Nov 58
64.1552	UW: Karelia-Kola	DD/P, etc.	***	Oct 58
64.1553	UW: Sakhalin	DD/P, etc.	I	Nov 58
64.1554	UW: Kamchatka-Kuril	DD/P, etc.	I	Open
64.1555	UW: Kolyma-Okhotsk	DD/P, etc.	I	Nov 58
60.1599	Civil Divisions: W. Hemisphere	State	In Reprod.	Oct 58
GR-185	25X1A2d1			
61.1613	UW: Indonesia	DD/P, etc.	***	Open
64.1636	Revision of Geog. Briefs of Ec. Regions	Self-init.	I	Open
62.1646	UW: Egypt	DD/P, etc.	***	Oct 58
63.1647	UW: Yugoslavia	DD/P, etc.	**	Nov 58
63.1648	UW: Albania	DD/P, etc.	**	Open
63.1649	UW: Finland	DD/P, etc.	I	Open

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Geographic Intelligence Reports - CIA/RR-GR (continued)

63.1650	[REDACTED] UW: Greece	DD/P, etc.	I	Open
61.1651	China: Interim Atlas of Chinese Com.Adm.	Self-init.	***	IV 58
61.1653	Pos. Guided-Missile Ranges in Com. China	NSA	****	Nov 58
GR-198	25X1A2d1			
61.1658	[REDACTED] UW: W.Pakistan/Kashmir	DD/P, etc.	I	Jan 59
61.1659	[REDACTED] UW: Burma	DD/P, etc.	I	Nov 58
61.1660	[REDACTED] UW: Thailand	DD/P, etc.	***	Oct 58
61.1661	[REDACTED] UW: Cambodia	DD/P, etc.	I	Nov 58
61.1662	[REDACTED] UW: South Vietnam	DD/P, etc.	I	Dec 58
62.1663	[REDACTED] UW: Arabian Peninsula	DD/P, etc.	I	Nov 58
60.1681	Possible Soviet ICBM Locations	D/I/RR	**	Oct 58
69.1692	Curr. Dev. in Geodesy, etc.	Self-init.	I	Open
64.1699	Population of USSR Cities	OSI/ED/TCB	I	Open
#62.1702	Special U/W: Lebanon	Army	*	Oct 58

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63.1630	Analysis of E. Germany Population	Self-init.	****	Open
61.1703	Offshore Islands	Self-init.	***	Oct 58
61.1705	Macedonia 25X1A5a1	Self-init.	*	Nov 58

External Research - CIA/RR-ER

69.908	Add. Ref. to Sov. Diagrams, Sketches, Photographs of Sov. Geodetic and Photogram. Instruments (ER-6)	In abeyance	Open
69.908	A Report on Sov. Cartography (ER-12)	In abeyance	Open
69.908	Selected List of Ref. to Sov. Cartography (ER-13)	In abeyance	Open
69.908	Selected Bibliography of Sov. Geodesy (ER-14)	***	Open

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<u>Geographic Memorandum - G/E</u>		
69.1577 Accuracy of Target Positioning: USSR Navy	***	Open
<u>Geographic Memorandum - G/I</u>		
64.1695 International Hgys. of Sov. Central Asia	25X1A8a	Oct 58
<u>Service Jobs - G/S</u>		
63.1209 City Plan: Gdansk, Poland	RQM/OIS	I
63.1316 City Plan: Bucharest, Rumania	25X1A8a	Open
64.1695 International Highways of Soviet Central Asia	I	Oct 58
64.1697 Indicators for IRBM/ICBM Systems (Soviet)	I/GM/RR	I
63.1701 Population of Satellite Cities	OST/ED/TCB	***

1/	X Initial research.	Delayed:	Work scheduled; due date and other
*	Research 1/3 complete.		work do not warrant beginning project.
**	Research 2/3 complete.	In abeyance:	Some work done but higher priority
***	Research in final stage.		work has taken precedence.
****	Preparation for reproduction in process.	#:	New project initiated during month.
		Roman Numeral:	Quarter of a calendar year.



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NIS 27, Turkey  
NIS 42, Thailand  
NIS 11, Sweden  
NIS 26, USSR  
NIS 9, Spain  
NIS 36, Pakistan  
NIS 19, Hungary  
NIS 33, Iran  
NIS 18, Czechoslovakia  
NIS 3, France

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NIS 55, Ethiopia, Eritrea, the Somalilands  
NIS 2, Ireland  
NIS 102, Southwest Pacific Islands  
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NIS 101, West Pacific Islands  
NIS 25B, Malta  
NIS 30M, Iraq  
NIS 13A, East Germany  
NIS 46, Costa Rica

NIS 50C, French West Africa  
NIS 53M, Egypt 25X1X73-

NIS 50B, Nigeria and British Cameroons

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MONTHLY REPORT FOR THE MAP LIBRARY DIVISION

September 1958

1. Requests for maps and related materials continued to increase during September. The Reference Branch serviced 1,377 map requests, with 28,206 map sheets, and forwarded 227 related geographic publications in response to 110 requests for this material. Interest in material on the Far East remained high, especially for the islands of Quemoy, Matsu, and surrounding areas. Place Name requests totalled 132, and miscellaneous reference questions, 252.
2. In addition, there were 84 transactions involving the servicing of material from the Air Targets Collection. 1,973 maps and 68 textual items were distributed.
3. It has been decided to retire to the Records Center outdated CIA Sample File maps and the surplus stock of current CIA maps. The Reference Branch will recommend the quantities to be maintained in the Map Library. Both Sample File copies and quantity stock of these maps may be recalled from the Records Center, on a 24-hour basis. The transfer of this material will relieve the pressing space problem of the CIA Collection Unit, but at the same time will increase this Unit's record keeping responsibilities.
4. The continuing increase month after month in the total number of requests for maps and related geographic materials on a retention basis has caused a marked expansion in the work of both the CIA Collection Unit and Distribution Unit. During the past three years, requests for CIA maps have increased by 90%. The steady rise in these requests has placed added demands on the CIA Collection Unit to the point where the workload has become more than one man can handle. This month the Unit supplied 18,263 map sheets, in response to 658 requests, and handled 32,948 incoming sheets for stock requirements. The Distribution Unit, which supplies retention copies of maps other than CIA maps, supplied 9,680 items in response to 337 requests.
5. The Processing Branch added 723 new map titles, comprising 2,438 sheets, to the Loan Copy Collection. In addition, 136 new CIA maps were processed and 199 new SAC charts were indexed.
6. The Foreign Procurement Branch received 5,577 foreign-published maps during September. Among the leading countries from which maps were received are [REDACTED] Finland, Denmark, and Argentina. During the first nine months of 1958, 51,419 maps were received from foreign sources. This is more than the total received in 1957.

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7. A 1:4,000,000 map of China, published in January 1958, and an atlas published in October 1957 constitute the best materials received out of China in the last five years. Also received were: 1) a 1:1,000,000 sheet of the Soviet Afghan border area, published by the Voenno-topograficheskaya sluzhba (Military Topographic Service) in 1954, classified CONFIDENTIAL/NOFORN; and 2) 1:1,000,000 Russian and Polish maps appearing on the same sheet, published by the Military Cartographic Enterprise in Poland (Wojskowe Zaklady Kartograficzne, WKZ), and bearing a 1955 date on the Russian sheet, are intended to accompany a Polish-Soviet boundary agreement of 5 March 1957, concerning the border in a section adjoining the Baltic Sea.

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9. Mr. Arthur Kendall, OCF, recently returned to the U.S. from Afghanistan, where he had advised ICA on matters pertaining to amendments to the Fairchild mapping contract with the Government of Afghanistan. He was debriefed in the Map Library with respect to mapping in northern Afghanistan. (SECRET).

10. Outgoing communications for September totalled 254. 224 items related to foreign procurement; and 30, to domestic correspondence.

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MAP LIBRARY DIVISION  
SUMMARY OF STATISTICS -- SEPTEMBER 1958

<u>RECEIPTS (For retention in Map Library)</u>	<u>Specialty</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Maps</u>	<u>Map Sheets</u>	<u>Map Sheets</u>	<u>Map Sheets</u>
a. Made in CIA/D/GC	23,858	0	23,858
b. On automatic receipt and purchases for stock	33,606	10,010	43,616
c. From other domestic sources	104	0	104
d. From foreign sources	663	1,474	2,137
e. From foreign sources for stock	610	0	610
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>58,841</b>	<b>11,484</b>	<b>70,325</b>

<u>Atlases and other reference materials</u>	<u>Total/Volumes</u>
a. On automatic receipt and purchases for stock	1,510
b. From other domestic sources	9
c. From foreign sources	400
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,919</b>

<u>PROCESSING</u>	<u>Titles</u>	<u>Sheets/Volumes</u>
<u>Map Cataloging</u>		
a. Special maps made in CIA/D/GC	115	115
b. Special maps - All others	583	853
c. Series indexed and cataloged	25	1,470
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>723</b>	<b>2,438</b>

<u>Cataloging, etc. of Reference materials</u>		
a. Atlases	5	21
b. Place-name volumes	4	8
c. Publisher's catalogs	1	1
d. Other reference volumes	16	22
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>52</b>

<u>DISBURSEMENTS</u>	<u>Requests</u>	<u>Titles</u>	<u>Requests/Volumes</u>
<u>Maps</u>			
1. To CIA	838	1,733	16,691
2. To Department of State	258	663	2,163
3. Foreign Service posts	27	52	260
4. To Department of Defense	210	1,319	8,304
a) Department of the Army	108	446	4,498
b) Department of the Navy	18	384	923
c) Department of the Air Force	54	311	973
d) Other components of Defense	30	178	1,910
5. Other government agencies	70	226	782
6. Miscellaneous	4	6	6
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1,377</b>	<b>7,995</b>	<b>28,205</b>
<u>Atlases and other reference materials</u>			
a. To domestic establishments	110	207	227
b. To foreign establishments	1	150	292
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>357</b>	<b>519</b>
<u>Information</u>			
a. Place-name questions	132		
b. Other reference inquiries	252		

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